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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks TO: United States Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

DEAR SIR:

Claims 1 through 9 of the above-referenced application were allowed by Notice of Allowability which was mailed with the Issue Fee Transmittal documents with a due date of December 29, 1999. The following amendments are requested to correct two minor errors and clarify three references to the drawings contained in the Detailed Description of the Invention in the original application.

Amend the "Detailed Description of the Invention" as follows:

At page 10, line 24, delete the word "note" and substitute the word "bar-d